

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
EASTERN DIVISION

RAYMOND A. CLARK,

Plaintiff,

VS.

CHARLES TRAUGHBER, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 1-04-1174-T-An

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ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO  
RESPOND TO MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND COMPLAINT

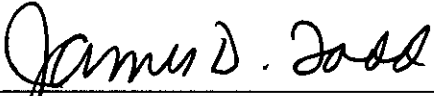
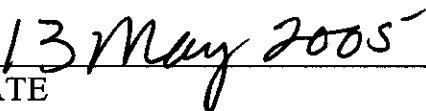
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Plaintiff Raymond A. Clark, Tennessee Department of Correction prisoner number 292729, who is currently an inmate at the West Tennessee State Penitentiary ("WTSP") in Henning, Tennessee, filed a *pro se* complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 when he was denied parole while imprisoned at the Northwest Correctional Complex ("NWCX") in Tiptonville, Tennessee. On December 6, 2004, this court stayed all proceedings in this case pending the United States Supreme Court's decision in Wilkinson v. Dotson, 125 S. Ct. 1242 (2005). The Wilkinson opinion was issued on March 7, 2005, and subsequently, on March 23, 2005, this court issued an order lifting the stay order and ordering Defendants to respond to the complaint within twenty (20) days. Defendants did not respond and Plaintiff filed a motion for summary judgment.

Before the court is Defendants' motion for additional time to respond to the

complaint and asking the court to deny Plaintiff's motion for summary judgment. Defendants argue that additional time is needed because they did not received a copy of the March 23<sup>rd</sup> order lifting the stay and ordering them to respond to the complaint until May 3, 2005. For good cause shown, Defendants have twenty (20) days from the date of this order to respond to the complaint and to respond to Plaintiff's motion for summary judgment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
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JAMES D. TODD  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
  
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DATE



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